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## UTAH STATE NEWS

Tom Green was arrested for stealing a horse at Cisco last week.

Work will begin on a new canning factory at Provo in a few days.

The progressive citizens of Ephraim are organizing a Commercial club.

The Utah Elks were entertained at a bull fight at Tia Juana on Sunday.

A stock company is being organized at Springville for the purpose of building a canning factory.

Secretary Fisher Harris, of the "Sea America First" league, is touring the northwest in the interest of the movement.

The president has approved the Smoot bill extending the time for homesteaders on the Uintah reserve to enter upon lands.

Edward Ormeling, whose home is in Omaha, fell under a train at Ogden, his left leg being so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

The Independent Telephone company is now constructing its line between Provo and Springville and will reach Springville in a few days.

Owen Ryan, a former resident of Salt Lake and southern Utah, was burned to death in Hollett, Minn., in a blaze that destroyed the Ryan home.

Work is to begin at once in Salt Lake on a packing plant with a capacity of 300 cattle, 1,000 sheep and 1,000 hogs a day. The company is capitalized at \$200,000.

Bountiful is making a bid for entry in the state base ball league to be formed this season. The Bountiful people think they have the best ball team in the state.

The effects of the strawberry valley irrigation project is being felt at Payson, and the prospects are that the present year will be a very progressive one for that town.

George Mason, an old-time resident of Springville, is dead after a lingering illness. He came to Utah in 1853 and settled at Springville, where he has since resided.

The Orderville Water System company, which will furnish water to the residents of Orderville, Kane county, has filed its articles of incorporation with the secretary of state.

The Manufacturers and Merchants' association of Salt Lake has made plans for a trip to Nephi on March 8. Stops will be made at all the principal stations, both going and coming.

The Utah mine at Fish Springs continues to send to the Salt Lake market consignments of ever increasing shipments of ore, the last car having netted the company the sum of \$3,090.77.

News has been received of the death at Louisville, Ky., of Charles W. Jackson, who for several years was editor of the Payson Globe-Header, and who afterward ran a paper at Nome, Alaska.

Governor Cutler has announced the appointment of R. R. Tanner of Beaver county as a member of the state board of equalization, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of R. C. Lund.

William Fuller, for half a century a resident of Provo, is dead at the age of 86. Mr. Fuller came to Utah in 1847, and in 1849 he participated in the rush to California for gold. He moved to Provo in 1865.

While oiling machinery at the Annie Laurie mill at Kimberly, August S. Howlett, aged 40, whose home was in Kansas, was caught in the belting, the back of his head being crushed in, death being instantaneous.

The board of county commissioners have passed a resolution granting a franchise to the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company to construct and maintain telephone lines on any of the county roads in Grand county.

There is probably no city in the United States that has had such a clean death rate during the past month as Ogden. There were but two contagious cases reported, one a case of scarlet fever and the other diphtheria.

Irene Tremereaux, a native of France and the young woman who came into prominence several weeks ago in Salt Lake by reason of having been brought to America for immoral purposes, was deported to her native country last week.

Alex Dupos, a Greek laborer at Garfield, was stabbed through the arm in a fight with a fellow-workman. The blade of the weapon passed entirely through the fleshy part of the victim's forearm, but the wound is not regarded as one that will result in permanent injury.

## THIRTEEN MINERS KILLED IN COLORADO ACCIDENT

Open Lamps Cause Explosion of Afterdamp in Maitland Mine and Shock Is Felt for Miles.

Pueblo.—A special to the Chieftain from Walsenburg says:

By far the worst accident in the history of coal mining in this part of the country occurred at the Maitland mine Monday morning, and as a result at least thirteen miners lost their lives. It is possible that the list will reach sixteen when all the bodies have been recovered.

The following is a list of the dead so far as known:

Archie Miller, fire boss.  
Billy Moran of Maitland.  
James W. Titters, Kansas.  
Battista Eobrea.  
Corona Costa.  
Sopris Costa.  
Nick Yoklotz.

Shortly after 2 o'clock there was an explosion in that part of the Maitland mine known as the Sunshine, which caused the earth to tremble for miles around. Soon afterward a man ran out and reported that the mine was on fire. The explosion caused a fall of rocks from the roof and until this is cleared away it will not be known positively just how many more are yet in the mine. It is certain, however, that any found there will be past hope. The deaths were caused by gas and the explosion was caused by afterdamp. It is believed that the explosion was caused by open lamps in use, as most of the men in that part of the mine used open lamps. General Superintendent Murray has arrived and taken charge. The Maitland mine is a property of the Victor Fuel company.

## SENSATIONAL SUICIDE.

Woman Shoots Herself at Theatre in Full View of Audience.

Denver, Colo.—Leaving her seat in one of the boxes in the Crystal theatre a few minutes after the opening of Monday afternoon's performance, Mrs. C. A. Weilder, said to be a resident of this city, made her way to the stage and, after flourishing a revolver for a moment in full view of the audience, discharged the weapon at her own person, inflicting a probably fatal wound. The woman fell gasping to the floor, but those in the audience who had not observed her movements prior to her approach to the stage, thought that the shooting was part of a burlesque act and made no outcry. A moment later, however, the screams of the performers in the wings brought a realization upon the audience that a real tragedy had been enacted. When the woman was picked up by the stage attendants she was unconscious and one hand still held the weapon, while in the other a picture, said to be that of her seven-year-old son, was tightly clutched. An ambulance was summoned to the door of the theatre and the dying woman was removed to the emergency hospital. Quiet was restored in the theatre in a short while and the performance was resumed.

## Telephone Line to Be Sold.

Washington.—The Utah senators were notified Monday that the war department will at once advertise for bids for the sale of the telephone and telegraph line between Price and Duchesne, and if an acceptable offer is made the line will be sold instead of removing it to the Philippines, as proposed.

## Smallpox on Train.

Reno, Nev.—Two carloads of passengers on the Southern Pacific were sidetracked in Reno Monday night under strict quarantine because of a case of smallpox discovered when the train was near Winnemucca, Nev., shortly before noon. The passengers are tourists from the east bound for California. The train was met at Sparks, Nev., by Drs. Gibson and Lewis of the state board of health and all the passengers placed under quarantine.

President Mitchell of Mine-Workers Declines Congressional Nomination.

New York.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine-Workers of America, Monday received a telegram from Peoria, Ill., in which he was offered the Democratic nomination for congress to represent the district. Mr. Mitchell immediately replied to the convention, then in session in Peoria, declining the nomination. He said that he would not accept any political office while head of the mine-workers. Mr. Mitchell lives at Springfield, Ill.

## BOMBS LURK IN RUSSIAN SCHOOLS

Children Protest Against Reactionary Teacher and Try to Kill Him.

A Number of Crimes Have Been Committed by Mere Boys—Fifteen-Year-Old Lads Being Found With Bombs in Their Possession.

St. Petersburg.—The official messenger prints the usual weekly summary of violent political crimes and seizures of bombs, explosives and weapons, filling over two columns.

The record consists mainly of a long enumeration of cities where the terrorists have been active. They occupy St. Petersburg, Moscow, Odessa, Kiev, Nizhni Novgorod, Vilna, Warsaw, Samara, Kursk, Sebastopol, Kazan, Tiflis, Riga and other principal cities where officials have been killed, patrols fired on, bombs, weapons and dynamite seized or postoffices, banks or other state institutions attacked. A number of the crimes were committed by mere boys.

The dispatches tell of a grammar school lad wounding a reactionary teacher at Kharkeff, and the arrest at Berdicheff of a fifteen-year-old lad having three loaded bombs in his possession.

## TRIUMPH OF SHEEP MEN.

Idaho State Veterinarian Law Held to Be Unconstitutional.

Boise, Ida.—In the district court Judge Stewart on Thursday held the state veterinarian law unconstitutional. If his decision is sustained by the supreme court it will wipe out the livestock sanitary board and the office of state veterinarian. The old state sheep inspection act will, however, be revived. It is found by the court that the legislature sought to repeal the latter law by mere reference to it, extending the duties of sheep inspector to the new office of state veterinarian. The litigation arose over an order that all sheep south of the Salmon river be dipped a second time last year before being driven in from the summer range. A number of sheepmen in Washington and Canyon counties refused on the ground that their sheep were free from scab and that the board had no authority to order them dipped a second time.

## MINERS AND OPERATORS MEET.

Efforts of Leaders of Both Sides to Prevent Big Strike.

New York.—The special committee of the union anthracite coal miners of Pennsylvania appeared before the presidents and other officials of the coal mining companies on Thursday, stated in general terms the proposition it desired the operators to grant, and then retired to formulate in detail the demands. Before the conference adjourned two sub-committees of seven men each were appointed, one representing the miners and the other the operators, to take up jointly the questions at issue and endeavor to reach an agreement. When these committees have completed their work they will make a report to the conference.

## Big Liner Went Aground.

Boston, Feb. 15.—For fourteen hours on Thursday the big Leyland line steamer Devonian, from Liverpool, lay helpless on Scituate Beach, ten miles to the south of the harbor's entrance, for which she was heading when she went aground. Although she was heavily pounded during the day by a surf which prevented tugs from getting within hailing distance of her, the revenue cutter Gresham managed to send a line aboard the ship and then, with her big screw revolving and the Gresham pulling, the Devonian floated. The steamer apparently sustained little damage.

## CHARGES AGAINST JEROME.

Said to Have Entered Into Conspiracy With Street Railway.

New York.—A special to the Tribune from Albany, N. Y., says: Charges, including subornation of perjury, bribery of lawyers, misconversion of millions of dollars, and the enlistment of District Attorney Jerome in a conspiracy to whitewash the offenders were made against the Metropolitan Street Railway company and its officials at a hearing before the assembly committee on ways and means on Thursday.

## FORMER PRESIDENT M'CALL WORRIED HIMSELF TO DEATH

Leader of the New York Life Did Not Long Survive Final Blow Dealt By Directors' Report.

New York.—John A. McCall, until recently president of the New York Life Insurance company, died at 5:33 p. m. Sunday at the Laurel house in Lakewood, N. J., where he had been taken three weeks ago in the hope that the change might benefit his health, which had suffered a breakdown two months ago. The news of the death was not given out by the family until some time after the end.

It was announced that Mr. McCall's death was due to enlargement of the liver and the end had been peaceful and without pain.

Mr. McCall's physical breakdown occurred about the close of the investigation of life insurance affairs in this state by the legislative committee December last. The report of the committee is expected to be submitted to the legislature at Albany early this week. Mr. McCall's examination before the committee was a severe one, and the ordeal he underwent in rehearsing in detail the affairs of the company and in divulging transactions about which the general public was ignorant, worried him greatly. It was said.

## BURIAL OF A KING.

Danish Monarch Placed in Chapel With Ancestors of Past Thousand Years.

Roskilde, Denmark, Feb. 18.—In the magnificent old Gothic church here Sunday afternoon the body of King Christian IX, amid the thunder of guns, the sonorous tones of the organ and the blare of trumpets, were laid to rest with the long line of his predecessors on the Danish throne whose remains repose in the chapel in Roskilde's stone fane.

The coffin lay in the chancel beneath a black and gold blazhachin supported by high officers in full dress uniforms. The only decoration on it was a golden branch, a tribute from the children of Denmark. Leaning against the altar rails were floral tributes from foreign monarchs and members of the Danish royal family. The choir was filled with members of the clergy, whose quaint black gowns and white ruffs formed a striking background to the blaze of gold-laced uniforms of the diplomatic body occupying the corner of the choir. Here Mr. O'Brien, the American minister, in simple evening dress, was a remarkable exception. As Mr. O'Brien was personally representing President Roosevelt, the Danish government had given him an attaché of honor, M. Seavenius of the foreign office.

## CASTRO NEEDS A BEATING.

Frenchman Says a Revolution Would "Clear Up Things" in Venezuela.

Paris.—M. Taigny, the former French charge d'affaires at Caracas, in an interview with the Matin's correspondent at Liverpool, said that the unanimity of the diplomats in Venezuela against his expulsion was a great surprise to President Castro, who until the last moment had relied on the moral support of a certain power.

M. Taigny, according to the correspondent, is convinced that a revolutionary movement for the overthrow of President Castro is in preparation. He had been approached by several of the revolutionary leaders during his sojourn in Venezuela, but owing to his position as the representative of France, he was obliged to hold aloof from politics.

In M. Taigny's opinion, the correspondent adds, a revolution would clear up the present awkward situation in Venezuela.

## PRIEST MURDERED IN MEXICO.

Two Other Instructors Are Fatally Wounded by Indian Bandits.

Mexico City.—Henry Albert Bourdier, a young French priest and instructor in the normal school in Puebla, was, with three other teachers, attacked in the mountains near that region by a party of Indians. Bourdier was killed and two other priests were fatally wounded. The state government officials are searching for the Indians.

## Spent Quiet Sunday.

Washington.—Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, who were married at the White house Saturday, passed the Sunday very quietly at "Friendship," the country home of John R. McLean at Tennytown, which they are making their temporary headquarters. The weather was pleasant most of the day and the couple took a stroll around the beautiful grounds surrounding the place. The gates of the grounds were closed during the day, and it was said at the house tonight that there had not been any callers.

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